CHAPTER NO. 30

HOUSE BILL NO. 1950

By Representative Maddox

Substituted for: Senate Bill No. 1950

By Senator Herron

AN ACT to amend Chapter 33 of the Private Acts of 1985 and any other acts amendatory thereto, relative to Mayoral duties for the Town of Gleason.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Chapter 33 of the Private Acts of 1985 and all other acts amendatory thereto, is amended by deleting the last paragraph of Section 14 and substituting instead the following:

He shall have the authority to make appointments, promotions, demotions and transfers of employees only after approval of the majority of board members of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen. He shall have the authority to make suspensions and removals of officers and employees for cause and may delegate such authority to department heads. Any such suspensions and removals are of a temporary nature, good only to the next meeting of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen and must be approved by majority vote at this meeting to be of a permanent nature.

In case of a vacancy in the position of Recorder, Fire Chief, Police Chief, Director of Public Works, Town Judge or Town Attorney, the Mayor may make a temporary appointment to fill the vacancy. The temporary appointee shall serve until the next regular Board of Mayor and Aldermen meeting or a called meeting, called in accordance with Section 7, subsection (C) of the Gleason Town Charter. At such time, a permanent appointment, shall be made by motion and seconded with a majority vote of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen. In no case shall this temporary appointment be for more than thirty (30) days, without the approval of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen. During the thirty (30) day period, if the Mayor and Board of Aldermen do not approve the permanent appointment of the person temporarily appointed by the Mayor, then such vacancy may be filled upon motion by any Alderman, duly approved by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen upon proper vote.

SECTION 2 This act shall have no effect unless it is approved by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the Legislative Body of the Town of Gleason. Its approval or non-approval shall be proclaimed by the Presiding Officer of the Town of Gleason and certified to the Secretary of State.

SECTION 3. For the purpose of approving or rejecting the provisions of this act, it shall be effective upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it. For all other purposes, it shall become effective as provided in Section 2.

PASSED: May 6, 1999

DIMMY NAIFEH, SPEAKER HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JOHN S. WILDER SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

APPROVED this 14th day of May 1999